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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

**National Committee on Vital and Health Statistics: Meeting
Privacy, Security & Confidentiality Subcommittee**

Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) announces the following advisory committee meeting.

NAME: National Committee on Vital and Health Statistics (NCVHS)
Subcommittee on Privacy, Confidentiality & Security

TIME AND DATE:

May 6, 2015 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. EST

May 7, 2015 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. EST

PLACE: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
National Center for Health Statistics
3311 Toledo Road, Auditorium B and C

Hyattsville, Maryland 20782

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STATUS: Open

PURPOSE: Section 1179 of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) creates an exemption from compliance with HIPAA and accompanying rules when a financial institution is “engaged in authorizing, processing, clearing, settling, billing, transferring or collecting payments.” The purpose of this meeting is to learn how banking and other financial service businesses are using personal health data as their services evolve in support of the health industry.

The objectives of this hearing are as follows:

Increase awareness of current and anticipated financial services involving personal health data, understand section 1179 in light of these practices, and identify areas where outreach, education, technical assistance, or guidance may be useful.

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Should you require reasonable accommodation, please contact the CDC Office of Equal Employment Opportunity on 770-488-3204 as soon as possible.

Dated: April 15, 2015.

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